

THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Ami ARONHEIM, et al

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For:

NUCLEIC ACID CONSTRUCT

SYSTEM AND METHOD
UTILIZING SAME USEFUL
FOR IDENTIFYING PROTEINPROTEIN INTERACTIONS

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Examiner: Maria MARVICH

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## SUPPLEMENTARY RESPONSE

Sir:

Applicant submits this response for entry into the record, in which:

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Please amend the above-identified application as follows: